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TAGS: EAGR, AORG, UN

SUBJECT: WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 238664, STATE 235815

1. WE DISCUSSED DRAFT UNGA RESOLUTION ON WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE WITH NONMIN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OFFICIALS DE STAERCKE AND COESSENS (WHO HAD ALREADY RECEIVED REVISED TEXT FROM BELGIAN DELEGATION) ON DECEMBER 3 AND 7.

2. OFFICIALS SAID INSTRUCTIONS ON MINOR POINTS OF RESOLUTION SHOULD REACH BELGIAN UN DELEGATION BY DECEMBER 10 AND THAT DECISION ON WHETHER OR NOT TO CO-SPONSOR WILL BE TAKEN BY DELEGATION. INSTRUCTIONS WILL STRESS GOB CONCERNS THAT PREPARATORY COMMITTEE SHOULD BE "OPEN-ENDED" RATHER THAN RESTRICTED (DESPITE OUR PREVIOUS EFFORTS TO PERSUADE THEM THAT NUMBER OF REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD BE KEPT MANAGEABLE) AND THAT PRECAUTIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN TO ENSURE THAT WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE DOES NOT SPAWN ANOTHER UN AGENCY (I.E., FOLLOW-LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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UP SHOULD BE BY EXISTING AGENCIES, ESPECIALLY FAO).

3. COESSENS AND DE STAERCKE RAISED ONE MINOR OBJECTION TO  
TEXT; THEY BELIEVED "FULL" SHOULD BE DELETED FROM PARA FIVE  
ON GROUNDS THAT GOB NOT FULLY IN ACCORD WITH FAO  
RECOMMENDATIONS AND COULD NOT KNOW WHAT RECOMMENDATIONS  
"OTHER COMPETENT INTERGOVERNMENTAL BODIES" MIGHT MAKE.  
WE SUGGESTED THAT LANGUAGE WAS RATHER MEANT TO UNDERLINE  
IMPORTANCE OF FAO AS FIRST AMONG EQUALS. STRAUZ-HUPE

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